IN THE CLAIMS

This is a complete and current listing of the claims, marked with status identifiers in parentheses. The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

- (Currently Amended) A method for navigating in threedimensional electronic image data records, the image data three-dimensional partial including records, the method comprising the method steps of: ---optically displaying at least onetwo mutually perpendicular two-dimensional projections of an image data record, that comprises at least one of the two projections including a-at least one two-dimensional partial projection of at least one partial image data record; ---optically emphasizing the at least one two-dimensional partial projection-; ---functionalizing the at least one optically emphasized partial projection in—such a way—that the at least one optically emphasized partial projection is latter can be selectableed by a user input-; ___receiving a user input directed toward the selection of at least one partial projection functionalized in such a way_{τ} ; and —automatically displaying optically displacing, function of the user input, the at least one projection not including the at least one partial projection in such a way it includes the partial projection displacementfurther two dimensional projection of the image data record that comprises a two dimensional projection of the selected partial image data record.
- 2. <u>(Currently Amended)</u> The method as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that wherein the image data record has been is formed by fusing at least two source image data records.

- 3. <u>(Currently Amended)</u> The method as claimed in claim 2, characterized in thatwherein all the partial image data records have been are formed from the same source image data record.
- 4. <u>(Currently Amended)</u> The method as claimed in one of elaims 2 or 3, characterized in that claim 2, wherein the source image data records comprise includes a source image data record obtained from a computed tomography method, and a source image data record obtained from a positron emission tomography method.
- 5. (Currently Amended) A computer program product that facilitates at least one of executing or and installing the method as claimed in one of the preceding claims claim 1 on a computer.
- 6. (New) The method as claimed in claim 3, wherein the source image data records includes a source image
- 7. (New) A computer program product that facilitates at least one of executing and installing the method as claimed in claim 2 on a computer.
- 8. (New) A computer program product that facilitates at least one of executing and installing the method as claimed in claim 3 on a computer.
- 9. (New) A computer program product that facilitates at least one of executing and installing the method as claimed in claim 4 on a computer.
- 10. (New) A computer program product that facilitates at least one of executing and installing the method as claimed in claim 6 on a computer.

- 11. (New) A computer readable medium including program segments for, when executed on a computer, causing the computer to implement the method of claim 1.
- 12. Α computer readable medium including program executed on segments for, when а computer, causing the computer to implement the method of claim 2.
- 13. (New) A computer readable medium including program segments for, when executed on a computer, causing the computer to implement the method of claim 3.
- 14. (New) A computer readable medium including program segments for, when executed on a computer, causing the computer to implement the method of claim 4.
- 15. (New) A computer readable medium including program segments for, when executed on a computer, causing the computer to implement the method of claim 6.
- 16. (New) An apparatus for navigating in three-dimensional electronic image data records, the image data records including three-dimensional partial image data records, the apparatus comprising:

means for optically displaying at least two mutually perpendicular two-dimensional projections of an image data record, at least one of the two projections including at least one two-dimensional partial projection of at least one partial image data record;

means for optically emphasizing the at least one two-dimensional partial projection;

means for functionalizing the at least one optically emphasized partial projection such that the at least one optically emphasized partial projection is selectable by a user input;

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means for receiving a user input directed toward the selection of at least one partial projection functionalized in such a way; and

means for automatically displacing, as a function of the user input, the at least one projection not including the at least one partial projection in such a way that it includes the partial projection after displacement.

- 17. (New) The apparatus as claimed in claim 16, wherein the image data record is formed by fusing at least two source image data records.
- 18. (New) The apparatus as claimed in claim 17, wherein all the partial image data records are formed from the same source image data record.
- 19. (New) The apparatus as claimed in claim 17, wherein the source image data records includes a source image data record obtained from a computed tomography method, and a source image data record obtained from a positron emission tomography method.